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In re: Anthony Joseph Cesaroni, et al.
Appl No.: 10/044,747
Filed: January 10, 2002
For: PROPELLANT SYSTEM FOR
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Confirmation No.: 8407
Group Art Unit: 3641
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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 18, 2003 in the above-referenced application. Kindly amend the Claims as follows:

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Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT in the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
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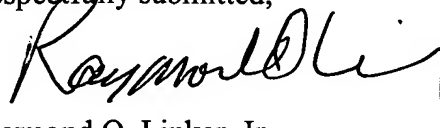
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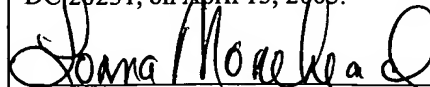
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